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Legislative Council Election for South Teachers Constituency

Brisk voting in city

● 44 polling centres ● Voting to end at 4 pm ● Counting on June 6

Mysuru, June 3 (BLU&DM)- The biennial election for the Legislative Council seat from the South Teachers Constituency began this morning at 44 centres spread across the Constituency, which encompasses the districts of Mysuru, Mandya, Hassan and Chamarajanagar.

Voting began at 8 am at 12 centres in Mysuru city with moderate participation initially but gained momentum as the day progressed.

11 in fray

While there are 11 candidates in the fray, the Constituency is witnessing a direct contest between Congress candidate Marithibbegowda, who has held the seat for four consecutive terms spanning 24 years and BJP-JD(S) coalition NDA candidate K. Vivekananda, who is contesting for the first time.

The other nine candidates include former MLA Vatal Nagaraj of Kannada Chaluvali Vatal Paksha, Dr. H.R. Mahesh of BSP (Bahujan Samaj Party), M. Nagendrababu, Dr. S. Anil Kumar, Kadamba Naa Ambarish, Nagamallesh, Ningaraju S. Shankarapura, former MLC K.C. Puttasiddashetty and Raju K. Siddaianapura, all independents.

Voters waiting for their turn to cast their votes for the Legislative Council election for South Teachers Constituency at Kanaka Gurupeetha College of Education in Kuvempunagar this morning.

The South Teachers Constituency has a total of 21,549 voters, including 11,998 men, 9,550 women and 1 other. Mysuru district boasts the highest number of voters with 10,439, constituting nearly half of the electorate, followed by Mandya with 5,403, Hassan with 3,526 and Chamarajanagar with 2,181 voters.

Voting is conducted using ballot paper method and voters are required to exercise their franchise by marking their preferences for each candidate in English numerals only (1, 2, 3, 4, etc.).

44 voting centres

There are a total of 44 voting centres in the Constituency, with Mysuru district hosting 20 centres (including 12 within the city), followed by 10 in Hassan, 9 in Mandya and 5 in Chamarajanagar.

The voting centres in Mysuru city included Ramakrishna Vidya Kendra in Ramakrishnanagar, Indira High School and D.Ed College in Sharadadevinagar, Government PU College in People's Park, Nazarbad, Government Higher Primary School in Old Krishnamurthypuram, Kanaka Gurupeetha College of Education in Kuvempunagar, Mysore West Lions Sevaniketana School in Gokulam, Sri Kalaniketana School of Arts in Vijayanagar Second Stage, Vidyavardhaka Law College on Seshadri Iyer Road, GSSS Nursery and Primary School in Siddartha Layout, St. Philomena's Lower Primary Girls School on B.N. Road and Government Model Higher Primary School in Rajendranagar.

(See VOTING on page 7)

Lok Sabha Election: Counting of votes from 8 am tomorrow

Tight security, restrictions around counting centre

Mysuru, June 3 (RK&BCT)- The counting of votes for Lok Sabha Election - 2024 will commence nationwide tomorrow (June 4) at 8 am. Initial trends are expected by 10 am.

With just hours remaining before the count for the polls held in seven phases, Chief Election Commissioner (CEC) Rajiv Kumar, along with Election Commissioners Gyanesh Kumar and Dr. Sukhbir Singh Sandhu, reviewed the counting day preparations with all Chief Electoral Officers of States and Returning Officers this morning.

In Mysuru, the counting of votes for Mysuru-Kodagu LS seat will start at 8 am at Maharani's College of Commerce and Management in Vinayakanagar (Paduvarahalli). The counting centre has been fortified, with Paramilitary Forces and the City Police maintaining a strict round-the-clock vigil.

District Electoral Officer Dr. K.V. Rajendra and Counting Observer Mohammad Aijaz (centre) discussing a point at the counting centre in Maharani's College, Vinayakanagar, this morning as City Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth looks on.

Counting staff and officers, including senior district officers, will assemble at 6 am and the strong rooms will be opened at 7.30 am in the presence of candidates or their agents.

The Electronic Voting Machines (EVM) and Verifiable Paper Audit Trail (VVPAT) machines will be brought to the counting tables in phases for the process to begin at 8 am.

Mysuru Deputy Commissioner Dr. K.V. Rajendra, who is also the District Electoral Officer, visited the counting centre this morning, accompanied by Election Observers and City Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth.

All three floors of the counting centre have been utilised for this massive exercise. Each counting hall for every Assembly segment will have 14 tables. Only select agents of a candidate are allowed to observe the counting process through a mesh partition installed around the hall.

(See COUNTING on page 7)

To Our Readers

Turn to Page-6 for Abracadabra titled ***"Modi Mantrava Japiso Manuja! Exit Poll - 2024: Narendra Modi, Rahul Gandhi and the Astrologer."*** **—Ed**

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Monday 3rd June 2024

HC seeks data on safari from JLR at Nagarahole, Bandipur

Bengaluru, June 3 (BS)- The High Court (HC) has directed Jungle Lodges & Resorts Limited (JLR), a Govt. entity, to provide information on method followed to allot safari vehicles to the visitors who stay at private resorts in Nagarahole and Bandipur National Parks with Tiger Reserves.

This follows an application moved by Karnataka Eco-Tourism Resorts Association in the year 2022, alleging that, those staying at private resorts are provided canter van for safari, while jeeps are provided for the guests of JLR.

Hearing the application, the Divisional Bench of Chief Justice N.V. Anjaria and Justice K.V. Aravind issued the said order, deferring the hearing to next date.

The Advocate, appearing for the applicant, informed the Court about the agreement reached between Karnataka Eco Tourism Resorts Association and the Government over providing the service of safari vehicles and other facilities. But JLR is flouting the conditions of the agreement, practicing disparity while allotting vehicles for safari. The permission for safari is being given for new resorts in violation of Government rules and Court orders.

The Advocate also appealed to the Court to issue directions to extend the fair allotment of safari vehicles and also the facilities.

Visitors at JLR are allowed safari in zones and routes with best sightings, while those at private resorts are deprived of the privilege. Hence, those accommodated at private resorts be extended equal privilege, Eco Tourism Resorts Association had demanded.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

THE UNIVERSAL NETWORK OF KARMA: ***Life on earth can never really be a simple affair. We are always weaving a web of relationships. Our equations with each individual whom we come across in life are varied. The plethora of mixed experiences that we go through is nothing but a result of our Karmas. An Upakatha in the Ramayana speaks about the wheels within wheels which directs the actions and behaviour of Ravana. He was a great devotee of Shiva, very brave learned and accomplished. These very blessings made him supremely arrogant. Once when Ravana was flying about the Himalayas in his Pushpaka Vimana, he sighted the beautiful nymph Rambha. He desired for her company and hounded her. The damsel ran hard to save herself from the lecherous Ravana. Fortuitously, she happened to bump into Kubera, her consort. She promptly apprised her partner of the recent happenings. Kubera and his son Nalkoobara were livid with rage when he learnt about the unpardonable offence. The young Yaksha never really cared for Ravana because, the demon king had stripped his father of all his wealth and usurped Lanka and all his worldly wealth. Yet Kubera never went out of his way to confront Ravana because his father had let go of the matter and had established Alakapuri. However, when Ravana dared to violate the modesty of his lady love, he could not remain complacent. Kubera cursed Ravana, saying, "If you ever try to force any woman against her will to satisfy your lust, your head will shatter into a thousand pieces.***

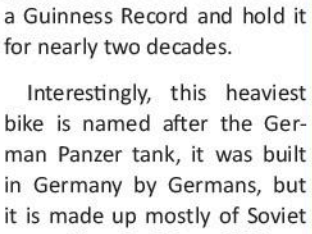
Ravana was guilty of an overbearing nature and a lot of violence ever since he was granted a boon that he would meet death only at the hands of a man. His might had become multifold. Ravana's divine boon had insured him against Yakshas. All the same, he refrained from confronting Kubera because he knew that he had overstepped his limits. Ravana was aware of the power of Yakshas made a mental note never ever to transgress on those counts because he valued his life. It was this self-imposed constraint that protected Sita, whom he had abducted and kept in captive for almost a year.

Truly, the universal network of our Karmas have strange ways of surfacing when we least expect them to and save us from a mess or put us in a soup across space and time!

— S. Radha Prathi in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

World's heaviest bike is powered by tank engine



Zilly: The story of the world's heaviest motorcycle can be traced back to 2003. Brothers Tilo and Wilfried Niebel of the Harzer Bike motorcycle shop in Zilly, Germany, were in Halberstadt where a former Red Army Barracks was being demolished. The two tinkerers have always been of the opinion that old materials can be repurposed, not just discarded, so they were there looking for parts to use in their custom motorcycles.

The two brothers found a model of a Soviet T-55 tank engine and they asked if they could have it. Little did they know that this would be the beginning of a very special project that would see them claim a Guinness Record and hold it for nearly two decades.

Interestingly, this heaviest bike is named after the German Panzer tank, it was built in Germany by Germans, but it is made up mostly of Soviet parts. The 38,000 cc T-55 engine comes from a Soviet tank, the giant sidecar from a Russian medium-range missile and the headlight from a Soviet border security point operated by the German Democratic Republic (GDR) during the Cold War.

Man breaks hardest bone while coughing

Beijing: Doctors at the Second People's Hospital of Fujian Province in China recently reported the shocking case of a 35-year-old man named only as Mr. Ye who suffered a fractured femur, the hardest human bone, during a coughing fit. According to Dong Zhong, director of the Department of Orthopaedics at the hospital, the incident occurred during a coughing fit, which is unusual. Mr. Ye told doctors that he felt a sharp pain immediately after a particularly strong cough, but he simply brushed it off as a cramp. It was only after walking became difficult because of the pain that he decided to seek medical help.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Higher temperatures and humidity levels prompt the skin's oil glands to produce more sebum. It can result in a more oily complexion and exacerbate conditions like acne, particularly in the T-zone area.

By Dr. Ravi S. – Consultant Dermatology & Cosmetologist - Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

Panachee's Fashion and Lifestyle Exhibition

Mysuru, June 3- Panachee, a Fashion and Lifestyle Exhibition brand, has come up with its spring and summer edit showcasing innovative creations from over 40 designers from India.

The exhibition is organised by Sindu Vikram and Sahanaa Sumanth at Hotel Southern Star on Vinoba Road in city on June 4 and 5 from 10 am to 9 pm.

Sindu Vikram & Sahanaa Sumanth

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM	KABINI DAM	HARANGI DAM
Maximum **124.80 feet**	Maximum **2,284.00 feet**	Maximum **2,859.00 feet**
Today's level **84.24 feet**	Today's level **2,260.69 feet**	Today's level **2,824.10 feet**
Last year's level **80.36 feet**	Last year's level **2,250.95 feet**	Last year's level **2,819.34 feet**
Yesterday's level **84.10 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,260.51 feet**	Yesterday's level **2,824.11 feet**
Today's Inflow **1,467 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **1,178 cusecs**	Today's Inflow **224 cusecs**
Today's Outflow **547 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **300 cusecs**	Today's Outflow **200 cusecs**

REALLY...?

- ***Beluga whales have an adorable language of chirps and squeaks that have earned them the nickname "canaries of the sea."***
- ***Jellyfish have been around longer than dinosaurs and have survived five mass extinctions!***
- ***Despite their large size and seemingly clumsy appearance on land, crocodiles are excellent swimmers. They use their powerful tails to propel themselves through the water and can reach impressive speeds, sometimes exceeding 20 miles per hour (32 kilometres per hour).***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Teacher: *How far is the earth from the sun?*
Helen: *As far as the sun is from the earth.*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= **Rs. 83.12**
1 UK Pound	= **Rs. 105.85**
1 UAE Dirham	= **Rs. 22.63**
1 Euro	= **Rs. 90.22**

VOICE OF THE READER

Stop dumping construction debris, garbage on roadsides

Sir,

Now that the term of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Corporators has ended, it does not mean that cleaning and maintenance work should come to a standstill.

Ramakrishnanagar I Block is being filled with garbage and waste along the roadsides, just half a kilometre from the Chief Minister's residence. Notably, most of the waste dumped along the roads here is construction debris.

What message does this send about our civic body's commitment to Mysuru? On what moral grounds will the MCC contest for the Clean City award? If these scenes reach the Central Team of Swachh Survekshan, how will MCC present itself?

Maintaining the city's cleanliness should not be driven solely by awards; it should be a continuous effort. The reality is that garbage is being dumped daily on the roadside in this locality, which also has the residence of an MLC and a school nearby.

Will the officials responsible ensure that the garbage is regularly cleared, providing school-going children and citizens with clean, fresh air?

P.S.: The MCC Commissioner recently issued a press note stating that irresponsible citizens who dump garbage on roadsides and public places will be penalised. But when can we expect this stringent action to be enforced?

—Aiyanna
Ramakrishnanagar
3.6.2024

Ladies European Tour-2024

Pranavi Urs finishes joint third in Dormy Open

Helsingborg (Sweden), June 3 (Agencies) - Mysuru golfer Pranavi Urs came tantalisingly close to her maiden Ladies European Tour (LET) title before a late double bogey ruined those dreams as she settled for a Tied-3rd finish at the Dormy Open in Helsingborg yesterday.

Playing her first season on the LET, the 21-year-old had a double bogey on the Par-4 16th. She fought back with a birdie-birdie finish but ended with a 10-under total. It is, however, Pranavi's best-ever finish on the LET. She was bidding to join Aditi Ashok (five wins) and Diksha Dagar (two wins) as the only Indians to have won on the LET.

It was a fine week for Indian golfers as Tvesa Malik shot 68 in the final round to add to 70-71 and sign off at Tied-10th. While Paris Olympics-bound Diksha carded a 69 after 70-71 on the first two days and was Tied-13th,

Mysuru golfer Pranavi Urs in action.

Vani Kapoor had missed the cut. Pranavi fell one short of the play-off between amateur Helen Briem of Germany and French star Perrine Delacour.

Delacour got a birdie on the first play-off hole which was the 18th, and won the title, leaving Briem with the second place. A birdie on the 17th meant Pranavi needed an eagle on the 18th to get into a play-off. She managed only a birdie and moved up to Tied-3rd with Denmark's Nicole Broch Estrup (68), who birdied four times in her last seven holes.

Pranavi, who won the Order of Merit on her home Tour, the Hero Women's Pro Golf Tour in 2022, was fifth in Lalla Meryem Cup and then seventh at the Aramco Team Series in Korea.

RTE Act applies to residential schools too: High Court

Bengaluru, June 3 (VNS) -The Karnataka High Court has clarified that provisions of the Right To Education (RTE) Act 2009 also applies to residential schools.

The Single Judge Bench headed by Justice Suraj Govindaraj, which heard the petition filed by Mysuru-based Jnanasarovara Education Trust, which is running an unaided ICSE residential school, passed the order.

This apart, the High Court has also dismissed the petition challenging imposition of Rs. 1.6 crore (Rs. 1,60,50,000) fine on the Trust, by the School Education and Literacy Department on Nov. 23, 2021 for non-compliance with RTE Act.

In addition, the Court in its order has clarified that, as per Rule 18 and Rule 11 of RTE Act, all schools other than Government run institutions must register with the competent authority by submitting Form-1.

Referring to Section 18(1) of the RTE Act, the High Court Bench passed the order in favour of Education Department stating that the Act was announced in the gazette on Apr. 28, 2012, after which the schools have to register with the competent authority with six months. However, due process has not been followed, which is a violation of the rules.

Background: D. Balakrishnappa and William Yesudas had approached the Education Department seeking action against the school for not being registered under RTE Act. Following this, the Department had issued a notice to the school on Dec. 19, 2016 to appear in person which was not complied with.

Later, on Jan. 12, 2017 a show cause notice was issued again, for which the school replied stating that it does not fall under the purview of RTE Act, being a residential school.

Following this, the then BEO had issued yet another notice in 2017, questioning the school authorities for not uploading the details of the students as per the orders issued by DDPI in accordance with RTE Act. Later, the then ZP CEO had issued directions to DDPI to investigate the matter for non-compliance of Section 8 of RTE Act.

Another show cause notice was issued to the school authorities seeking an explanation as to why the school should not be fined for violating the rules. On receiving the notice, a representative of the school had appeared before the DDPI following which Rs. 1.6 crore fine was imposed on the school. Following this, the school's management committee had moved HC against the order passed by the DDPI.

Participates in National Air Force Attachment Camp

Mysuru, June 3 (BCT)- City Cadet K. Aadesh Puvaiah attended the National Air Force Attachment Camp conducted from May 20 to 31, 2024 at Bidar. He was one of the 14 cadets selected from the Karnataka & Goa Directorate.

The camp was held at the same station where Stage-3 training for fighter pilots takes place. Here, pilots learn how to fly advanced fighter jets. This 12-day camp provided him with the opportunity to stay among officers and learn about the functioning of the Indian Air Force, the operations at a fighter base, the station's daily activities and the routine of the officers.

Cadets at this camp have the chance to meet individuals who have passed exams like the Air Force Common Admission Test (AFCAT), Combined

K. Aadesh Puvaiah

Defence Service (CDS), National Defence Academy (NDA) and Services Selection Board (SSB) interviews.

They can communicate with these achievers to gain insights into what it takes to join the IAF. The cadets follow a rigorous schedule, and each day in this camp motivates them to build the step towards their dreams.

Officers who join the Indian Air Force as fighter pilots will be trained here at Bidar. The main aim of the camp is to motivate the cadets to learn more about the IAF and the fighter training that occurs after joining the IAF. This camp has provided Aadesh with valuable exposure, a great experience, and a collection of memories that he can cherish.

He has also participated in other camps such as Annual Training Camp, Intergroup Competition, Group RDC 1 and Group RDC 2.

Aadesh is currently pursuing his B.Com at DePaul First Grade College, Mysuru. He is the son of Kochamanda Sarvesh and Kochamanda Vimya (Moovera) of Bavali village in Kodagu.

JSS Law College gets new Principal

Dr. Vanishree

Mysuru, June 3- Dr. N. Vanishree, Head of the PG Department and NCC Air Wing ANO, has been appointed as the new Principal of JSS Law College, Mysuru, following the retirement of Dr. S. Nataraju on May 31.

Dr. Nataraju, who had rendered extraordinary service as a lecturer, Head of the Department and Principal of the College for more than 25 years, was felicitated on the occasion.

G.G. Mugeshappa, Director of College Education, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Prof. K.S. Suresh, Chief Executive of JSS Law College, teaching and non-teaching staff and students were present.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Free coaching

Samarthanam Trust for the Disabled, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Mysuru, offers free coaching for competitive examinations for disabled students and children of disabled parents, preparing them for various government department positions (KAS, KPSC, PDO, FDA, SDA, RRB and Banking). The coaching classes will be held for 7-8 months in both Kannada and English languages. Boarding and lodging facility will be provided, according to press release from the trust. [Mob: 63648-67818]

Ph.D awardee

B.M. Nandini has been awarded Ph.D in Electrical and Electronics Engineering Sciences by the Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU), Belagavi for her thesis 'Joint Dehazing and Depth Analysis in Foggy Images.' [Guide: Dr. Narasimha Kaulagud]

T20 ICC MEN'S T20 WORLD CUP WEST INDIES & USA 2024

TODAY'S MATCH (JUNE 3)

Sri Lanka Vs South Africa
Nassau County International Cricket Stadium, New York — **8 pm**

TOMORROW'S MATCHES (JUNE 4)

Afghanistan Vs Uganda
Guyana National Stadium, Guyana — **6 am**

England Vs Scotland
Kensington Oval, Bridgetown, Barbados — **8 pm**

TODAY'S RESULT (JUNE 3)

Namibia - 109/6 (20 overs)
TIED WITH
Oman - 109 all out (19.4 overs)

SUPER OVER
Namibia - 21/0 (1 over)
BEAT
Oman - 10/1 (1 over)

Power Up For Shakti

50 new KSRTC buses to join city fleet

Mysuru, June 3 (MTY&BS)- Following an overwhelming response to Shakti scheme that offers a free ride for women in KSRTC buses, Mysuru district, the home turf of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, has been allotted over 50 new buses.

The buses, painted in sky blue and white colours, are gradually being added to the existing fleet in KSRTC City Division from the past five days and will be soon hitting the road to bridge the gap between the surge in number of passengers and the buses.

Earlier, when compared to the spurt in the number of women commuters mainly, the buses available were insufficient with the scrapping of over 100 buses procured under Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM), for completing the running life of 15 years.

Six months ago, TATA buses were operated on the city routes on a pilot basis. These buses also passed the gruelling test, with the authorities inspecting them on several parameters like fuel consumption, routes and passenger volume.

Ashwamedha category buses being operated on rural routes are already a hit among the commuters. Like other buses, these buses also have two-seater and three-seater facilities and are considered fit for rural routes. But there is a demand to run only two-seater buses in the city routes and a proposal has been submitted to consider this demand in the new buses expected to arrive this month.

The interior of new buses has passenger-friendly design with two ventilators in the roof to facilitate the free flow of air and light, along with luggage compartment for school and college students to keep their bags, making it a convenient ride for the city commuters.

Unlike LED boards that scroll the route number and information related to the routes where the buses pass, the new buses will have traditional boards, painted with the route number and the routes. This decision to revert to the old system is owed due to the technical glitches experienced in the case of electronic boards that underwent frequent repairs, it is said.

Saraswathipuram Police arrest chain snatcher in Bengaluru

Mysuru, June 3 (KS)- A chain snatcher, who had robbed a gold chain of a woman at about 8.15 am on May 22, was arrested by Saraswathipuram Police near Bengaluru Railway Station on May 29.

According to the press release from the Office of the City Police Commissioner, the accused, who came on a scooter, had yanked off a part of the woman's gold *mangalya* chain and another gold chain of the same woman on May 22 morning, when she was on her way to fetch milk.

Following a complaint from the woman, a Special Police team comprising officers and staff of Saraswathipuram Police Station was formed to nab the accused.

The Special Police Team, which collected all necessary information about the accused, traced him at Bengaluru and nabbed him on May 29 near Bengaluru Railway Station and brought him to the Police Station for interrogation.

During interrogation, the Police came to know that the accused was involved in chain snatching cases at Saraswathipuram and Lakshmipuram Police limits in Mysuru and had also lifted a two-wheeler at Cottenpet in Bengaluru.

Based on the information provided by the accused, Saraswathipuram Police have recovered 23.5 gram gold chain and the stolen scooter, all worth Rs. 2.37 lakh.

The Police also came to know that the accused had about 40 cases registered against him in Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh and had undergone seven years imprisonment in two cases.

DCP (Crime and Traffic) S. Jahnavi and Vijayanagar Sub-Division ACP Gajendra Prasad guided Saraswathipuram Inspector G. Purushotham, Sub-Inspectors S.S. Latha, Shivananda G. Patil, S. Raju and staff Sheshadri, Mohankumar, Shivaprakash, Sudeepkumar, Somashekar Nayak, Venkatesh, Rajesh Technical Wing's P. Kumar and crime detection staff of ACP Vijayanagar Sub-Division and ACP Narasimharaja Sub-Division took part in the nabbing and seizing operation.

Alleged harassment from wife

Man goes missing after writing letter

Manoj Kumar

Mysuru, June 3 (KS)- A man, depressed over alleged harassment from his wife, has written a letter before going missing from Ashokapuram Police limits in city.

The missing man is 36-year-old D. Manoj Kumar. On May 30, Manoj, who wrote a letter stating that his wife was harassing him mentally and hence he was going away from the house, took his Honda Activa scooter (KA-09-HS-8566) before going missing, according to the complaint lodged by his mother.

Those having any information about the missing man may contact Ashokapuram Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418321 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339.

ATI Guest House case

Take back furniture from IAS Officer Rohini Sindhuri: Former Dy.Mayor

Mysuru, June 3 (GA&BS)- Former Deputy Mayor V. Shylendra has demanded the authorities concerned to take back the furniture of Administrative Training Institute (ATI) Guest House, taken away by IAS Officer and previous Deputy Commissioner of Mysuru Rohini Sindhuri.

Addressing media persons at Patrakarthara Bhavana in the city on Friday, Shylendra termed it as an act of theft on the part of Sindhuri, which is a fit case for initiating action than issuing a notice to deduct Rs.77,296 from her salary towards the expenses of furniture and other household items.

Questioning the propriety of ATI to issue the notice, Shylendra said, the ATI Guest House is a heritage building with the furniture having antique value. They are mostly made of Rosewood and valued at several crores of rupees. But, the amount to be deducted from the IAS Officer is too meagre, which is totally unfair, argued Shylendra.

Taking all these key points into cognisance, the IAS Officer should be asked to return the furniture intact. If there was any inordinate delay in returning them, a protest will be staged in front of the offices concerned and also the residence of Sindhuri, warned Shylendra. Ningaraju, Amithraj, Jeevan and Manjesh were present at the press meet.

Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway flooded; vehicles stranded

A repeat of March 2023 and August 2022 scenarios; no proper outlets for water to flow to drains, complain commuters

Ramanagara, June 3 (BCT)- In a repeat of the harrowing experience faced by motorists on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway in March 2023 and August 2022, last evening's rain once again caused severe flooding, blocking traffic for several hours.

The water remained stagnant at a couple of underbridges on the Highway, leading to many vehicles being stranded. Even after the rain eased, slow-moving traffic and prolonged jams persisted. These are the same underbridges that flooded last year when Ramanagara and the surrounding areas experienced unprecedented rains.

Heavy showers lashed many parts of south interior Karnataka, including Bengaluru, Ramanagara, Tumakuru and Chikkaballapur districts last evening disrupting normal life in the region.

The downpour caused significant traffic disruptions on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway, particularly on the outskirts of Ramanagara. The skies opened up at 6 pm and it poured for the next two hours, flooding underbridges and low-lying areas of the Highway.

The inundated road left vehicles stranded for hours until personnel from the National Highway Authority of India (NHAI) managed to clear the road for traffic. According to regular commuters on the Highway, flooding has become a common occurrence during the monsoon due to unscientific road construction.

They complained that there are no proper outlets for the water to flow between the Highway and the drains built on the service road on either side. Every time it rains, the Highway gets inundated, causing traffic disruptions.

They pointed out that even after last year's massive flooding a couple of times on the same stretches, corrective actions were not initiated by the NHAI which led to the problem this year too.

Flow of sewage into Cauvery River

Form investigation team of technical experts: MLC

Bengaluru, June 3 (BCT)- In the wake of several reports of sewage and industrial effluents from Mysuru flowing into the Cauvery River at Srirangapatna in Mandya district causing health concerns, MLC Dinesh Gooligowda has urged the State Government to form an investigation team of technical experts and take appropriate action to prevent the inflow of contaminated water into the River.

In a letter to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar and Minister for Large and Medium Industries M.B. Patil, Gooligowda expressed concern over contaminating the Cauvery by wastewater. He emphasised the need for immediate action and demanded the formation of a special investigation team without delay.

The MLC proposed establishing a committee comprising experts from various departments — including the Environment, Industries, Irrigation and Forest Departments — to address the issue. He requested that this committee submit a detailed report to the Government.

He noted that, in the past, the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board and studies conducted by researchers have observed that the Cauvery River is polluted by a range of contaminants, including pharmaceutically active compounds, personal care products, plastics, flame retardants, heavy metals and pesticides, among others.

Studies have found significant contamination by metals such as arsenic, zinc, chromium, lead and nickel. Freshwater intake points were also found to contain extraordinarily high concentrations of pharmaceutical contaminants.

The MLC suggested that a technical investigative committee could address the issue of discharging noxious waste into the Cauvery River and its tributaries. He emphasised that only sustained efforts can protect this precious water resource.

A 2023 report by the Central Pollution Control Board highlighted the pollution levels in the Cauvery River.

MLC Gooligowda stressed the need for rigorous water testing and the prevention of sewage, industrial and solid waste discharge into the river.

He believes that forming a technical investigation team can help ensure the river remains unpolluted, thereby providing clean drinking water to the people and livestock.

NHAI hikes Highway toll rates by 3 to 5 percent

Shell out more to travel on Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway

New Delhi, June 3 (Agencies)- A day after polls are concluded for elections to the 18th Lok Sabha, the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) revised the toll plaza rates across several States, which will come into effect from June 3 (today).

The notification from India's highway infrastructure creator was published in various newspapers on Sunday, where the authority informed about the changes in the toll plaza rates. The toll plaza rates will be increased by 3 percent to 5 percent at nearly 1,100 toll plazas.

The NHAI officials said that the revision in toll plaza rates is an annual exercise and the increase or decrease in the prices is based on the changes in the wholesale price index-based inflation.

As per the new rates, while the toll charges for the Bengaluru-Mysuru Highway have been increased by 3 percent, vehicles using the Hoskote-Devanahalli section of the Satellite Town Ring Road (STRR) in Bengaluru will have to pay 14 percent more. Cars/Vans/Jeeps using the Mysuru-Bengaluru Highway will pay Rs. 330 one-way, compared to Rs. 320.

The charges will be Rs. 170 for the Bengaluru-Nidaghatta section and Rs. 160 between Nidaghatta and Mysuru. The toll will be collected at Kaniminike (Bengaluru Urban), Sheshagirihalli (Ramanagara) and Gananguru (Mandya).

The decision to increase toll plaza rates was made two months after the Election Commission of India asked NHAI to collect the increased toll plaza rates after the Lok Sabha elections in 2024. This timing is significant as it aligns with the completion of the election process.

Female Foeticide

As probe deepens, startling revelations emerge

Bail application moved by 9 accused quashed by Court

Pandavapura, June 3 (BS)- As the Police are probing deep into female foeticide racket at the staff quarters in the premises of Taluk Hospital, startling revelations are tumbling out from the casket, with the investigators surmising it as a case more than meets the eye.

A woman, who had undergone abortion illegally a month ago, has got admitted to a hospital for severe bleeding, while another woman from K.R. Nagar is suspected to have died three months ago, due to the health complications that arose with severe bleeding, after undergoing the abortion procedure here.

It is suspected that, hundreds of women in Pandavapura alone may have aborted their foetus and the possibilities of involvement of officers cannot be ruled out. The suspicion over the role of officers stems from the possibilities of several women who got their foetus aborted treated at the Taluk Hospital, other than the hospitals in Mandya and Mysuru.

The bleeding experienced by such women is attributed to the lack of safety measures and inadequate treatment method, with some among them, succumbing later.

It may be mentioned that, Pandavapura Police who are investigating the case have already arrested C.G. Girijamba, Ashwini, S. Naveen Kumar, M.S. Kiran, H.P. Akhilesh, Shruti, Sathyamma, Kumar and M. Anand, who continue to remain in judicial custody while the prime accused in the case, Shivalinga Nayaka, Siddesh and Abhishek Gowda are still at large.

The Court has quashed the bail application moved by all the nine accused. Three more accused in the case, who are currently absconding, had also moved the Court seeking advance bail, but to no avail.

Abracadabra... Abracadabra...

By K.B. Ganapathy

Modi Mantrava Japiso Manuja!

Exit Poll-2024: Narendra Modi, Rahul Gandhi and the Astrologer

This is my take on the Parliamentary Election 2024 exit poll survey now being beamed in all TV channels. This has made the Opposition sulk. Personally speaking, my faith in this exit poll survey is same as my faith in astrology. It is not *ipso facto* always correct. But sometimes...

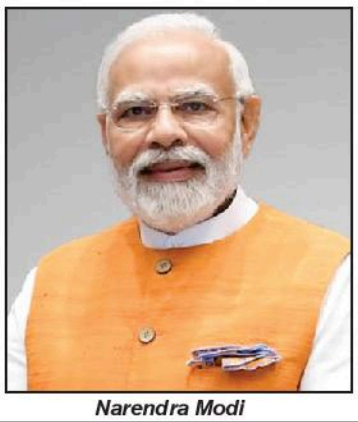
Honestly, in the matter of luck, chance, turning point (Fali S. Nariman, the famous Constitutional lawyer, has spoken about the importance of 'turning points' in one's life in his autobiography) and destiny, I am inclined to believe in all of them from my own life experience. I may just add one caveat — patiently bide your time.

Prathap Simha, the BJP MP lost the 2024 Mysuru-Kodagu MP ticket to the Royal family member despite his above-average good work and ability to counter every accusation of the Opposition with blazing fire-power. He naturally was in despair. But there was consolation when he received an e-mail message, I learn, from PMO's Office which was cryptic in its content: **"Please have trust and patience."** This may read like a consolation message but it tells the importance of patience and ability to bide the time in our life's journey.

Let me quote the Old Testament: *"I came and saw under the sun that the race is not to the swift; nor the battle to the strong, neither, yet bread to the wise, nor yet riches to men of understanding, not yet favour to men of skill but time and chance happens to them all."* So there is hope for losers too in this world.

Now, with this preamble, let me come to the puzzle before us, a sort of Gordian Knot to untie. Looking at the figures of the poll survey, I do not think we need Alexander the Great to untie this knot. Our psephologists have done a better job than the astrologer and Alexander the Great.

The gap seen on the TV screen between the NDA seats and the I.N.D.I. Alliance (I.N.D.I.A) seats is so wide it is unlikely to shrink in favour of I.N.D.I. Alliance on 4th June 2024 when votes are counted.



Narendra Modi

Rahul Gandhi

Prime Minister Narendra Modi's clarion call this time, when he launched the election campaign, was *'Abki baar 400 paar.'* The hurriedly cobbled I.N.D.I. Alliance could not decide who the Prime Ministerial candidate would be and yet their tin-pot leaders laughed at the audacity of Modi. Rahul Gandhi, the presumptive Prime Minister, who had prepared the ground for 2024 elections with two *padayatras,* declared in his typical authoritative rhetoric that Modi would be below the magic number of 272.

Facts are sacred in what we say and write in Journalism. This is a fact: That Rahul Gandhi did not say *'Abki baar Rahul Sarkar,'* but in some Congress quarters, led by his four close confidantes — K.C. Venugopal, Jairam Ramesh, Mani Shankar Aiyar and Sam Pitroda — it is taken for granted that should I.N.D.I. Alliance win, the PM would be Rahul Gandhi Ji. Why not? After all, he is the leader of India's Grand Old Party (GOP), no matter Congress gets, among its alliance partners, highest number of seats or not. **That is entitlement of a dynasty.** Morons among the voters must understand this and shut up till the deliverance day — 4th June 2024.

Looking at the exit poll predictions going in favour of Modi, Congress leaders are jittery and busy discrediting the exit polls in spite of the fact that all the agencies that conducted the poll survey predicted the doom of I.N.D.I. Alliance and the blooming of the BJP. They forgot that sampling in exit poll is Science and there is a protocol to be observed. Which is why in 2023 Assembly polls in Karnataka, the exit poll predicted the victory of Siddaramaiah's Congress correctly. **Therefore, we may not believe in astrology, but we may well believe in exit polls.**

Remember, even in 2004 and 2009 when the country was ruled by the shadow Prime Minister, the Congress had got a mere 145 and 206 seats respectively, far below the magic number of 272 or so. Thanks, specially to the Leftist parties of West Bengal, Kerala and UP and other Regional Parties. Congress, leading the UPA, formed the governments.

However, in 2014, when Narendra Modi entered the election fray and swept the nation like a tempest with his fiery speeches in chaste Hindi, the Congress citadel, already in a dilapidated condition, began to crumble and collapsed to a historic low of two digits, 44, that its leader Rahul Gandhi could not even become the Leader of the Opposition.

And worse, the Left parties who blazed the political sky of India prior to 2014, became effete and began to decline, so much so both Congress and its Left allies were made to go down on their knees by the intelligent voters. Voters realised, how in the past, they were taken for a ride in the name of secularism, minority rights and crony capitalism embedded in large scale corruption.

Who had ever thought that India, the poor boy among the fat boys of the world, would turn the fantasy world of Congress party topsy-turvy in 2014, 2019 and now, according to the exit poll, in 2024?

Yes Sir. As the Old Testament, quoted above, says now "time and chance" has happened to BJP, the political underdog for too long, once again for the third time. But wait till tomorrow, 4th June 2024, for the final word, to make it official.

Early last month I had received a message from a friend in America about the expected results of the Lok Sabha election 2024 according to an astrologer of great repute. My friend had, in a note, asked me to keep it for reference to cross-check on 4th June 2024. The astrologer has estimated the State-wise NDA seats as follows ***[see box].***

State-wise estimated NDA seats by a famous astrologer

Sl. No.	State	No of Seats	NDA
1.	Uttar Pradesh	80	74
2.	Maharashtra	48	39
3.	West Bengal	42	24 +
4.	Bihar	40	36
5.	Tamil Nadu	39	8
6.	Madhya Pradesh	29	29
7.	Karnataka	28	25
8.	Gujarat	26	26
9.	Rajasthan	25	23 +
10.	Andhra Pradesh	25	19
11.	Odisha	21	14
12.	Kerala	20	3
13.	Telangana	17	7+
14.	Assam	14	10
15.	Jharkhand	14	13
16.	Punjab	13	5
17.	Chhattisgarh	11	10
18.	Haryana	10	10
19.	Delhi	7	7
20.	Jammu and Kashmir	6	4
21.	Uttarkhand	5	5
22.	Himachal Pradesh	4	4
23.	Manipur	2	1
24.	Goa	2	2
25.	Tripura	2	2
26.	Meghalaya	2	1
27.	Arunachal Pradesh	2	2
	Other States	9	4
		543	407

So, it is as Modi declared: *Abki baar 400 paar... Phir ek baar Modi Sarkar,* according to this astrologer.

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Legislative Council Polls from Assembly on June 13

Congress, BJP and JD(S) announce candidates

Bengaluru, June 3 (KMS&DM)- With today (June 3) being the last date for filing of nomination papers for 11 Legislative Council seats from the Assembly, all the three major parties — Congress, BJP and JD(S) — announced their candidates on Sunday.

While the Congress will be contesting 7 seats, the Opposition BJP - 3 and the JD(S) - 1, depending upon their strength in the Assembly. The election will be held on June 13, in which only the MLAs are the electors.

As per the list, the Congress has fielded Minister N.S. Boseraju, Dr. Yathindra Siddaramaiah, son of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Jagadev Guttedar of Kalaburagi, K. Govindaraj of Bengaluru, A. Vasanth Kumar, KPCC Working President from Raichur, Bilkis Bano of Bhadravathi and Ivan D'Souza of Mangaluru for the 7 seats that the party is going to contest. The Congress also named Basanagouda Badarli as its candidate for the by-polls well in advance for the seat that has remained vacant following the resignation of Jagadish Shettar.

Minor Irrigation Minister Boseraju and K. Govindaraj, who is Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's Political Secretary, have been nominated again. Jagadev Guttedar is Kalaburagi District Congress President, Bilkis Bano is a former Chairperson of Karnataka State Minorities Development Corporation and Ivan D'Souza is a former MLC.

The Congress is expected to win all the seven seats it is contesting as it has enough strength in the Assembly.

The JD(S) too named its candidate for the lone seat that it is contesting. The party has named veteran leader T.N. Javarayi Gowda of Yeshwanthpur in Bengaluru, who had twice lost the Assembly polls from Yeshwanthpur.

Earlier on Sunday, the BJP announced its candidates — former Minister C.T. Ravi, sitting MLC N. Ravikumar and veteran party leader M.G. Muley (Marutirao G. Muley). The party is expected to easily win all the three seats as it has enough numbers in the Assembly, which ensures smooth sailing for all the three candidates.

Protest halts garbage transport to Kesare Solid Waste Plant

Mysuru, June 3 (SBD&BCT)- In a fresh headache for the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), which is already grappling with solid waste management issues, dumping sites and non-segregation of waste at the source, residents of Old Kesare have opposed the dumping of waste at the Old Kesare Solid Waste Treatment Plant.

Yesterday, vehicles heading towards the Plant to dump waste were turned back by angry residents. Members of the Janaspandana Hitarakshana Samithi, along with many local residents, halted vehicles carrying garbage to the Solid Waste Treatment Plant, sending them back. The protesters stopped two trucks and 22 auto tippers at the Plant's gate, insisting that no additional waste would be allowed to be dumped.

They said that due to excessive dumping, the Vidyaranyapuram Sewage Farm premises were destroyed and the same fate awaits the Old Kesare Solid Waste Treatment Plant, posing an epidemic threat.

The garbage dump has created a serious problem, with the Vidyaranyapuram Sewage Farm serving as a stark example of the potential health hazards. If more waste is dumped at Kesare, it will experience a similar situation and it could severely impact residents' health, they said.

MCC Health Officer Dr. Venkatesh had promised not to dump excess waste at the Kesare Plant. However, the very next day (Sunday), over 20 vehicles were seen transporting waste.

Upon learning of this, Janaspandana Hitarakshana Samithi members and residents rushed to the unit, stopped the vehicles and sent them back, according to a Samithi member.

Protesters emphasised that the Solid Waste Treatment Plant should be properly maintained and that MCC authorities should prioritise residents' health.

They demanded that waste be processed according to the Plant's capacity and warned of further agitation if the authorities failed to address the issue.

Former JSS Law College Principal Prof. Ajjappa passes away

Prof. Ajjappa

Mysuru, June 3- Prof. Ajjappa (95), a legal expert, former Principal of JSS Law College, Mysuru, and a resident of Anikethana Road in Kuvempunagar here, passed away this morning in city.

He leaves behind his wife Sharada, son Dr. Mohan Kumar, daughter Dr. Veena and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were held at the foot of Chamundi Hill this afternoon, according to family sources.

Brisk voting in city

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Tight security

Tight security was provided by the Police at all centres to ensure the smooth conduct of the polls. The Constituency recorded a poll percentage of 38.32 in the first four hours of voting (from 8 am to 12 noon). The polling was entirely peaceful, with no untoward incidents reported until noon.

Congress candidate Marithibbegowda and NDA candidate K. Vivekananda visited Vidyavardhaka Law College centre on Seshadri Iyer Road to observe the voting process firsthand. Although both candidates arrived at the same time, they did not exchange greetings.

The polls will conclude at 4 pm, after which the ballot boxes from all centres in the four districts of the Constituency will be transported under tight security to Maharani's Science College along JLB Road, where they will be stored in Strong Rooms. The counting of votes will commence on June 6.

Five other Constituencies

Additionally, five other Legislative Council Constituencies are holding elections today: Bengaluru Graduates, North-East Graduates, South-East Teachers, South-West Teachers and South-West Graduates.

The last two Constituencies, which cover districts including Kodagu, Chikkamagalur, Udupi, Dakshina Kannada and Shivamogga, as well as parts of Davanagere, fall under the Mysuru Revenue Division.

The South-West Graduates Constituency, with 85,089 voters, reported a poll percentage of 33.49, while the South-West Teachers Constituency, with 23,402 voters, witnessed a poll percentage of 37.79 until 12 noon.

LS: Counting of votes tomorrow

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Poll agents and candidates have been issued ID cards for authorised entry.

Before the counting, every EVM will be shown to the candidate or their agents along with the number of votes polled boothwise before unsealing.

In case of doubts regarding data, the votes in the VVPAT machines will be counter-checked. Agents and candidates will remain outside the barricaded area and can observe the process without any scope for physical verification.

The counting centre features a media station with a giant LED screen for real-time data, health kiosks, offices for the District Electoral Officers & Poll Observers and computer rooms with internet and phone facilities.

The entire process will be video-recorded with CCTV cameras placed at key points, including entrances, corridors, the strong room and various offices.

Counting of votes will be carried out under the supervision of Assistant Returning Officer (ARO) or Assistant Election Officer (AEO). One ARO will supervise the counting of votes of one Assembly segment.

After each round of counting, the respective AROs will announce the vote counts for each candidate. Barricades have been erected around the centre to prevent unauthorised access.

All roads leading to the counting centre have been barricaded to prevent public access and mikes have been set up near the barricades for people to listen to the results.

Tight security around counting centre

Mysuru, June 3 (RK&BCT)- The Mysuru City and District Police have beefed up security at the counting centre set up at Maharani's College of Commerce and Management in Vinayakanagar (Paduvarahalli).

Senior officers, including Police Commissioner Ramesh Banoth and DCPs M. Muthuraj (Law and Order) and S. Jahnavi (Crime and Traffic), are overseeing the security and traffic management at the counting centre.

The security deployment for the counting centre includes 4 DCPs, 7 ACPs, 23 Police Inspectors, 58 Sub-Inspectors, 76 ASIs, 479 Head Constables and Constables, 90 Women Police Staff, 12 CAR units and 4 Commando Forces.

For traffic management, the deployment consists of 1 DCP, 1 ACP, 2 Inspectors, 7 Sub-Inspectors, 30 ASIs and 184 Head Constables and Constables.

A Mobile Command Centre vehicle equipped with a high-definition camera, capable of covering a distance of up to 700 meters, is stationed near the entrance gate of the centre.

Before the counting, DCPs Muthuraj and Jahnavi briefed the staff on crowd management, traffic management, overall security and checks of counting staff and supervisors.

Winning candidates and their supporters will not be allowed to burst crackers or take out processions within 500 meters of the counting centre barricades.

CCTV camera monitoring rooms have been set up at the City Police Commissioner's Office for overall management and alert issuing mechanisms.

'Dharma Ratnakara' award conferred

Mysuru, June 3 (MK&DM)- City's noted Industrialist and philanthropist Dr. M. Jagannath Shenoy, the Managing Trustee of Mangalore Ganesh Beedi Works, was conferred the prestigious 'Dharma Ratnakara' award by Sri Krishna Gana Sabha, Mysuru, at a programme organised at Alwar Kalabhavan in Gokulam here on Friday.

Speaking after conferring the award, Adichunchanagiri Mysuru Shakha Mutt Seer Sri Someshwaranatha Swamiji said that Dr. Jagannath Shenoy had voluntarily engaged in social activities since his younger days and is working relentlessly for the cause of social good.

Noting that there are several personalities just like Shenoy in service of the society, he said that this award must be a driving force for everyone to get involved in working for society's welfare.

The Swamiji further said that building a healthy society would become much easier if philanthropists like Dr. Shenoy come forward for serving the society.

Speaking after receiving the award, Dr. Jagannath Shenoy said he has great love for arts.

Observing that the youth participation is key for the growth of art, literature and music, he said, as such, young artistes have been given prominence in this programme. He also stressed on the need for educating the youth on our past art and culture and what should be done in the future.

Stating that everyone has to do religious work in keeping with the phrase 'Dharmo Rakshati Rakshitaha...,' he said that a good mind is vital for doing a good work. The blessings of parents and Gurus is essential for taking forward our rich legacy of heritage and culture, he added.

Industrialist and philanthropist Dr. M. Jagannath Shenoy, who was conferred with 'Dharma Ratnakara' award by Sri Krishna Gana Sabha, Mysuru, at Alwar Kalabhavan in Gokulam on Friday, is seen with Adichunchanagiri Mysuru Shakha Mutt Seer Sri Someshwaranatha Swamiji, Sabha President B.S. Sridhar Raje Urs and others.

Sugama Sangeetha Concert

Later, twin sisters Nisarga and Vismaya presented a Sugama Sangeetha Concert as part of the Puduvattu programme instituted by Dr. Shenoy in memory of his parents Dr. Shenoy M. Govinda Rao and D. Ramabai.

The sisters were accompanied by Ganesh Bhat on keyboard, Atmaram on tabla and Vinay Rangadhol on rhythm pad.

Sri Krishna Gana Sabha President B.S. Sridhar Raje Urs, Secretary Mahesh, Namratha Jois and others were present on the occasion.

Twin sisters Nisarga and Vismaya presenting Sugama Sangeetha at Alwar Kalabhavan in city on Friday. They are accompanied by Atmaram on tabla, Vinay Rangadhol on rhythm pad and Ganesh Bhat on keyboard.

Basavanna's photo must be included in Indian Constitution: HC Judge

Mysuru, June 3 (MK&DM)- Pointing out that the Indian Constitution has 22 pictures including that of *Ramayana* and *Mahabharata*, Karnataka High Court (HC) Judge Krishna S. Dixit observed that the photograph of the great 12th Century social reformer Jagajyothi Basaveshwara should feature in the Indian Constitution as the 23rd one.

He was speaking after inaugurating Basava Jayanti celebrations organised by Mysore Bar Association at its office in the premises of the Law Courts Complex here on Saturday.

Karnataka High Court Judge Krishna S. Dixit offering floral tribute to the bust of Basavanna during the inauguration of Basava Jayanti celebrations organised by Mysore Bar Association at its office in the premises of the Law Courts Complex, Mysuru, on Saturday.

"There is a special meaning attached to the 22 pictures including that of *Ramayana, Mahabharata* and Tipu Sultan that feature in the Indian Constitution. As an addition, a photograph of Basavanna, who advocated the principle of 'Kayakave Kailasa,' must be included in the Constitution as the 23rd one," he argued.

"Indian culture is not based on Plato's Republic or Magna Carta theory. It has rich history of over a thousand years. India had a wonderful Constitution in the 12th Century itself which was based on Basavanna's concept of *Anubhava* and *Anubhava Mantapa*," he said.

Maintaining that the country had an excellent Constitution in the 12th Century itself, he pointed out that Prime Minister Modi, along with some of his Cabinet colleagues, installed a bust of Basavanna in England, which reflects Basavanna's global stature in respect of his social reform. "It would be more purposeful if Basavanna's photo features in the Indian Constitution," he opined.

Continuing, Justice Dixit said that the Indian Constitution itself is a great Upanishad. Noting that Maharshi Valmiki wrote *Ramayana* in Sanskrit at a time when non-Brahmins were prevented from learning Sanskrit, he said that the backward sections of the society have contributed a lot for Vedas and Upanishads. It was Dr. B.R. Ambedkar who wrote the Constitution, which is bigger than the Upanishads, he added.

He further said that Basavanna made the Vedas and Upanishads easier to understand for the common man through his Vachanas.

Basava Samiti President Aravind Jatti, in his address, highlighted the basic principles underlying Basavanna's concept of *Anubhava Mantapa* and his struggles for bringing about social equality.

Earlier, HC Judge Sreenivas Harish Kumar, who is also the Administrative Judge of Mysuru District, delivered the keynote address. Mysuru Principal District and Sessions Court Judge Ravindra Hegde, Karnataka Bar Council Member B.R. Chandramouli, Mysore Bar Association President S. Lokesh, Vice-President M.V. Chandrashekar, Joint Secretary K.R. Charanraj and Joint Secretary-Woman. B.V. Vinoda were present.

Services of Nurses is as important as that of Doctors: KSOU VC

Mysuru, June 3 (MK&DM)- Karnataka State Open University (KSOU) Vice-Chancellor (VC) Prof. Sharanappa V. Halse said that the service of Nurses is as important as that of Doctors. While Doctors examine patients and provide treatment, Nurses win the heart of patients through nursing care that play a key role in recovery, he noted.

He was speaking after inaugurating International Nurses Day celebrations at Suyog Hospital in Ramakrishnanagar here recently commemorating the birth anniversary of Florence Nightingale.

Pointing out that there is a shortage of Nurses globally, Prof. Halse said that students should take up nursing as a profession. Maintaining that there is a great demand for Indian Nurses because of their humanity and professional service, he called upon the Nurses to serve the society much better in their own way.

Former KSOU VC Dr. N.S. Ramegowda, who too spoke, said Suyog Nursing College, apart from academics, will also educate the students on professional ethics and human values.

Suyog Hospital Chairman Dr. S.P. Yoganna said that Nurses serving in hospitals of the country are receiving less salary than what they are due. As such, it is time for hospital managements to think of revising their wages, he observed.

Nurse Abhishek was conferred with 'Florence Nightingale Award' on the occasion.

Suyog Group CEO Dr. Rajendra Prasad, Vice-President Dr. Seema Yoganna, Suyog Nursing College Principal Nagamani, General Manager P.J. Arun Kumar and others were present.

KSOU VC Prof. Sharanappa V. Halse (centre), who inaugurated the International Nurses Day celebrations at Suyog Hospital in Ramakrishnanagar recently, is seen with Suyog Hospital Chairman Dr. S.P. Yoganna, former KSOU VC Dr. N.S. Ramegowda and others.

Retaining wall above 1,000-ft road turns a risky selfie spot

Tourists show reckless bravery above Madikeri-Mangaluru Road; Police tie warning tape; no entry for now

Madikeri, June 3 (PS&BCT)- A retaining wall constructed to prevent landslides on the Madikeri-Mangaluru Road via General Thimayya Circle has become a popular spot for tourists to view the breathtaking scenery of the winding road below.

It has also become a risky place for taking photos and selfies, with photographers taking dangerous measures to get the perfect shot.

Located below the famed Raja Seat, the retaining wall is fraught with danger as any careless move could result in a fall of over 1,000 feet to the road below. Unaware of the risks, many tourists, mostly from outside Kodagu, come here and recklessly click photos.

Capturing the beauty of the surroundings with their mobile cameras, tourists are inadvertently putting themselves in danger. Some people stand at the edge of the retaining wall to take selfies, while others show reckless bravery under the pretext of making social media reels.

Young men, women and couples also cross the line of fun and enjoyment by carrying small children and posing for photos. From this spot, one can see lush green surroundings, paddy fields and mist-covered landscapes stretching as far as the eye can see. While the view is incredibly beautiful, the danger here is twice as much.

This area is valley-like and during rainy season, strong winds blow. Additionally, there are no safety railings on the barricade, so even a slight slip leaves no chance of survival. It is observed that tourists are risking their lives in the name of fun at such places.

In 2018, a major landslide posed a risk of the Madikeri-Mangaluru National Highway being closed. In response, the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) invested crores of rupees to construct a sturdy retaining wall.

After completing the retaining wall, the NHAI installed a bamboo fence to restrict access to the area. However, over time, wind and rain destroyed the fence, leaving nothing to deter adventurous tourists from approaching the retaining wall. Additionally, the presence of liquor and beer bottles at this location confirms reckless behaviour.

Following reports from the public about tourists exhibiting reckless behaviour near the dangerous area, officers from the Madikeri Town Police Station and Traffic Police have been visiting the location and advising tourists to leave.

Subsequently, a warning tape has been tied from one side of the retaining wall to the other, cautioning tourists not to cross the line.

Harangi Dam main canal repair works in full swing

Madikeri, June 3 (PS&BCT)- The repair work of the Harangi Dam's main canal using the 'cut-and-cover' method is progressing rapidly.

This initiative, undertaken at a cost of Rs. 49 crore, includes Rs. 8 crore specifically allocated for repairing the main canal to benefit farmers in six taluks across Kodagu, Mysuru and Hassan districts.

The cut-and-cover box model for the canal is a significant part of this scheme, encompassing various tasks including repairing sluice outlets 1 to 6 of the main canal, constructing a road along the upper side of the canal, building minor bridges at different sections, concreting both sides of the canal, completely covering the upper part of the canal to prevent land subsidence and eliminating blockages in narrow sections of the main canal.

Since the construction of the Harangi Reservoir, the main canal has not been developed or repaired, resulting in water leakage into the river through trenches, forming small streams.

This issue prevented farmers on both river banks from effectively irrigating their crops. Currently, the canal development and repair works are in full swing, with Cauvery Neeravari Nigam Limited instructing contractors to complete the works without disrupting the water supply to farmers during the coming sowing season when irrigation activities pick up pace. Concrete work has begun and the main canal repairs are advancing rapidly. The remaining tasks are being completed quickly, ensuring that the main canal of the Harangi Dam will soon be fully repaired, ultimately benefiting farmers in Kodagu, Mysuru and Hassan districts.

MLA inspects collapsed storm water drain

Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda inspected the storm water drain that has collapsed in front of CITB Choultry at Hebbal in city recently. The MLA instructed the officers to build a concrete retaining wall to avoid further damage. Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Deputy Commissioner K.J. Sindhu, Development Officer Manu Gowda, Block Congress President Ravi Manchegowdana Koppal, leaders of the Ward Jagadish, Ramachandra, Ramesh, Murthy and others were present.

World Environment Day

Institutions join hands to rejuvenate Belawadi and Hootagalli kalyanis

Mysuru, June 3 (RK&VNS) - As part of World Environment Day, Hootagalli City Municipal Council in association with Infosys, Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement (SVYM), Maharaja Institute of Technology (MIT) and Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering (SJCE) have taken up the rejuvenation of Belawadi and Hootagalli kalyanis (ponds).

Both the kalyanis were in a dilapidated state becoming a breeding place for insects and weeds. Being among the oldest kalyanis in Mysuru, both the kalyanis played a vital role in fulfilling the drinking water needs for villagers and animals. However, with urbanisation and implementation of drinking water supply system, these kalyani remained neglected.

Having learnt about the kalyanis, Hootagalli CMC Commissioner Chandrashekar conducted a thorough inspection and also enquired about the old kalyanis with local residents on Friday before taking up the cleaning works.

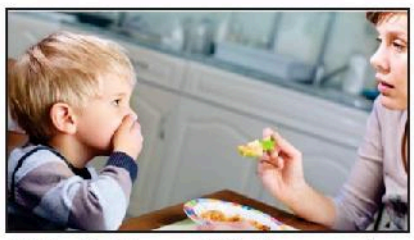
Hootagalli CMC officials, representatives of Infosys, MIT, SVYM and SJCE took part in cleaning works.

Meanwhile, Chandrashekar also called upon the residents to not waste rainwater and said that allowing the rainwater into UGD would affect the water bodies and also deny water to animals.

He also said since the rainwater was being let into the UGD there was an increase in complaints of UGDs overflowing especially during heavy rains.

WORD OF THE DAY

Foist



Pronunciation: FOIST (Verb)
Meaning: Foist, which is almost always used with on or upon, is used when someone forces another person to accept something, usually something that is not good or is not wanted. Foist can also mean "to pass off as genuine or worthy."

Origin: That the word foist is commonly used today to mean "to force another to accept by stealth or deceit" makes sense given its original — now obsolete — use in talking about a bit of literal sleight of hand. When it first rolled into English in the mid-1500s, foist was all about dice, dice, baby, referring to palming — that is, concealing in one's hand a phony die so as to secretly introduce it into a game at a convenient time. The action involved in this cheating tactic reflects the etymology of foist: the word is believed to have come from the obsolete Dutch verb vuisten, meaning "to take into one's hand." Vuisten in turn comes from vuyst, the Middle Dutch word for "fist," which itself is distantly related to the Old English ancestor of fist. By the late 16th century, foist was being used in English to mean "to insert surreptitiously," and it quickly acquired the "force to accept" meaning that is most familiar today.
Example: "Since the passage of the Fair Labor Standards Act during the New Deal era, employers have had to pay most of their workers for 40 hours of work even when business was slow. That was just the cost of doing business, a risk capitalists bore in exchange for the upside potential of profit. Now, however, employers foist that risk onto their lowest-paid workers: Part-time employees, not shareholders, have to pay the price when sale volumes fluctuate." —Adelle Waldman, The New York Times, 19 Feb. 2024

THE ODD WORD

Kenspeckle

Conspicuous

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Make A Splash

Meaning: The expression "Make a splash" is used to talk about a person or event that makes a sudden, major impact and attracts a great deal of attention or becomes very well known.

Origin: The origin of the phrase "Make a Splash" isn't known for certain, however, the term has been in popular since about the middle of the 20th century. It is commonly used in the UK and America.
Example: "Barack Obama made quite a splash when he first ran for President!"

QUOTE BOX

I have a memory like an elephant. I remember every elephant I've ever met. **—Herb Caen**

RIDDLE THIS

Spelled forward, I'm what you do every day; spelled backward, I'm something you hate. What am I?

Answer: Live

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 __ to ___ (same word): confronting each other?
5 100,000 in our country, especially rupees
9 Indian Police Service, acronym
12 Jazz singer ___ Fitzgerald
13 General location
14 Forty winks
15 An Arab prince
16 Stringently
18 Fail in duty or virtue; fall from faith
20 ___ Rabbit: cartoon character?
21 Assist or aid
24 Not old
27 Good-bye (Japanese)
31 Indistinct
32 Gathering of hunt
33 No objection certificate, acronym
34 ___ bank: Former public sector bank
35 Pray for us - ___ pro nobis ?
36 Ex-India wicket-keeper Budhi ___
38 Tennis champion Ivanisevic
41 A long way down
42 Tidy
44 Value
48 Sending out
52 Oscar-winning Martha
53 Long time
54 Things __ __ : list of work pending? (2,2)
55 Grow weary
56 Record events
57 Belgian river
58 A small vehicle for driving on snow

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

W	R	E	N	■	M	L	A	■	E	P	O	S
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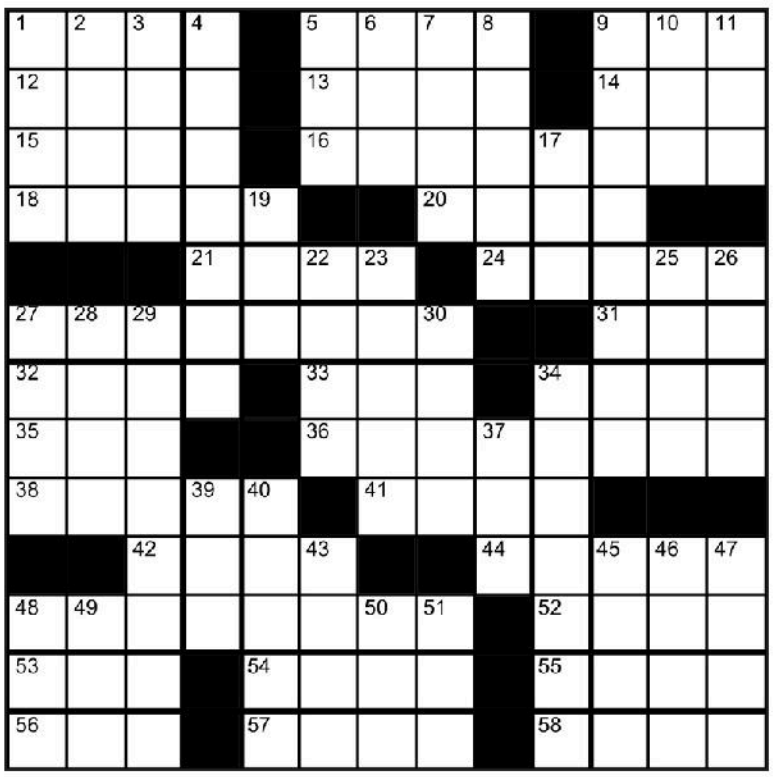
DOWN

11 Sense or understand
2 Russian river
3 ___ the wings of : curtail freedom or movements of?
4 Hearing distance
5 Gambler's haven ___ Vegas
6 ___ is long and time is fleeting.....?
7 Pavement edging
8 Hirsute
9 Trespasser
10 Mate
11 Secret agent ?
17 Chief executive officer, in short
19 Even, contracted by a poet ?
22 Tall, thin and slender
23 Snobbish
25 Columbus' ship
26 FBI agent (slang) (1-3)
27 Murky fog
28 Flight prefix
29 Longing
30 Skin affliction
34 Evicts an alien
37 Condensed moisture
39 Roman bronze
40 Distasteful
43 Tias' other halves
45 Long iron bar?
46 Phoenician port
47 Consider or regard
48 Snake-like fish
49 Lowing sound
50 ___ to a Nightingale: a poem by Keats?
51 And not either ?



SUDOKU

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Answer to previous puzzle

1	8	7	9	2	6	4	5	3
3	4	6	5	1	7	9	8	2
5	9	2	8	4	3	1	6	7
7	2	9	6	8	4	3	1	5
6	5	1	2	3	9	6	7	4
4	6	3	1	7	5	8	2	9
2	7	4	3	6	1	5	9	8
6	3	5	7	9	8	2	4	1
9	1	8	4	5	2	7	3	6

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

R XRH UET LBAVO URHLF LT XRJM LEM UTBVS

DMLLMB FETAVS FLRBL DO KXGBTPKHW

EKXFMVZ RHS EKF RLLKLASMF.

TODAY'S CLUE: R EQUALS A

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Don't let life discourage you; everyone who got where he is had to begin where he was.

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Thalavan (Ma)	(S-1)	11.15 am
Garifield Movie (E-3D)	(S-1)	2.00 pm
Hit List (Ta)	(S-1)	4.15 pm
Gangs of Godavari (Te)	(S-1)	7.00 pm, 9.55 pm
Garudan (Ta)	(S-2)	11 am, 1.45 pm
Bhaje Vaayu Vegam (Te)	(S-2)	4.35 pm
Mandakini (Ma)	(S-2)	7.20 pm
Aranmanai 4 (H)	(S-2)	10 pm
Chhota Bheem & The Curse (H)	(S-3)	10.35 am, 4.20 pm
Turbo (Ma)	(S-3)	1.25 pm
The Judgement (K)	(S-3)	7.05 pm
Once Upon a Time in Kochi (Ma)	(S-3)	10 pm
Mr. and Mrs. Mahi (H)	(S-4)	10.35 am, 1.25 pm, 4.15 pm, 7.05 pm 9.55 pm

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Bhaje Vaayu Vegam (Te)	:	1.30 pm, 4.30 pm
Garudan (Ta)	:	1.30 pm, 4.20 pm, 7.15 pm
Gam Gam Ganesha (Te)	:	4.30 pm, 7.30 pm

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Gangs of Godavari (Te)	:	10 am, 4.05 pm, 6.30 pm, 10.10 pm
Savi (H)	:	10.05 am, 3.20 pm, 10.15 pm
Mr. & Mrs. Mahi (H)	:	10.30 am, 1.30 pm, 4.30 pm 7.30 pm, 10.30 pm
Haikyuu - The Dumpster Battle (Japanese)	:	11.10 am, 1.15 pm, 6.05 pm, 8.10 pm
Gam Gam Ganesha (Te)	:	12.30 pm
Hit List (Ta)	:	12.50 pm
Garudan (Ta)	:	1.10 pm, 7.15 pm, 9.50 pm
Furiosa: A Mad Max Saga (E)	:	3.30 pm
Coco (E)	:	3.40 pm
Nirmuktha (K)	:	3.40 pm
Manthan (H)	:	7 pm
Mandakini (Ma)	:	9.45 pm

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Mr. & Mrs. Mahi (H)	:	9.50 am, 1.15 pm, 4.15 pm 6.05 pm, 10 pm
Ramana Avatara (K)	:	12.20 pm
Gangs of Godavari (Te)	:	12.30 pm, 6.35 pm, 9.15 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	12.40 pm
Savi (H)	:	12.50 pm, 7.15 pm
Hit List (Ta)	:	3.15 pm
Garudan (Ta)	:	3.40 pm, 9.45 pm
Once Upon A Time In Kochi (Ma)	:	6.30 pm
Gam Gam Ganesha (Te)	:	9.05 pm

JSS Mahavidyapeetha and Infosys Ltd. sign MoU

Mysuru, June 3- JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Mysuru, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Infosys Ltd. to implement Infosys Springboard, a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiative at its educational institutions.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, said that digital literacy is a key factor in education.

"Infosys has launched Infosys Springboard, a learning solution that enables students to become digitally literate and navigate their future. Students across India in the age group of 10-22 years as well as lifelong learners can access the platform. The students can tap into a rich and vast knowledge base that can be extended to their family members also without any cost," said Dr. Betsurmath.

This learning solution aligns with National Education Policy (NEP-2020) which articulates equitable and inclusive education.

He requested all the Division Heads of JSS Mahavidyapeetha and Vice-Chancellors to make best use of the initiative.

Satheesha Nanjappa, Senior Vice-President of Education, Training and Assessment (ETA) - Infosys, said, "Infosys Springboard CSR initiative under Infosys Digital Literacy Mission offers digital skills along with value added education. This programme was started three years back and currently 7.5 million users are there in our platform. There are various courses in Infosys Springboard platform, which will surely help the students."

Dr. S. Meenakshi, Senior Business Manager, ETA - Infosys, said that Infosys Springboard platform will give diversified content, more than 1,700 courses which cover Arts, Commerce, Science, Engineering and other emerging areas, including career-oriented courses."

This programme plans to create skill building, especially digital skill as per industry needs of students, supporting digital literacy in schools, accruing their curriculum and to help the students of rural areas through workshops, seminars, internship and faculty development programmes."

This programme is playing a significant role in six States including Karnataka, she said.

Santhosh Ananthapura, Head and Chief Lead, Government Partnerships, Infosys, explained about the Springboard Initiative.

Prof. S.P. Manjunath, Secretary, JSS Mahavidyapeetha, Vice-Chancellors and Registrars of JSS Science &technology University (JSS STU) and JSS Academy of Higher Education & Research (JSS AHER), Mysuru and all Division Heads of JSS Mahavidyapeetha were present on the occasion.

Vocal Concert at Ganabharathi

Mysuru, June 3- Vidu. Spoorthi Rao will be presenting a vocal concert at Ganabharathi in Kuvempunagar here on June 14 at 6 pm for Smt. Sugunamma Dayalu and Smt. G. Mahalaxmamma Memorial Music Concert.

Vidu. Spoorthi Rao

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Gangs of Godavari (Te)	:	11.25 am, 3.50 pm, 10 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	12.15 pm
Bhaje Vaayu Vegam (Te)	:	12.55 pm
Garudan (Ta)	:	12.55 pm, 6.45 pm, 9.40 pm
The Judgement (K)	:	2.35 pm
Srikanth (H)	:	3.50 pm
Furiosa: A Mad Max Saga (E)	:	5.45 pm
Gam Gam Ganesha (Te)	:	7 pm
Animal (H)	:	9 pm

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Gangs of Godavari (Te)	:	10.05 am, 1.15 pm 7.20 pm, 10 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	10.05 am
Savi (H)	:	10.45 am, 1.55 pm 7.35 pm
Thalavan (Ma)	:	10.45 am, 7.15 pm
Garudan (Ta)	:	11 am, 1.30 pm 4.40 pm, 10.20 pm
Manjummel Boys (Ma)	:	1.30 pm
Bhaje Vaayu Vegam (Te)	:	4.25 pm
Hit List (Ta)	:	4.25 pm
Mandakini (Ma)	:	4.25 pm
Grey Games (K)	:	7.20 pm
Turbo (Ma)	:	10.10 pm
Aranmanai 4 (H)	:	10.30 pm

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